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| In re Application of          | : |                      |
| Chow et al.                   | : |                      |
| Application No. 10/676,616    | : | DECISION ON PETITION |
| Filed: September 30, 2003     | : |                      |
| Attorney Docket No. 5618P3611 | : |                      |

This is a decision on the petition under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 1, 2009, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned for failure to reply in a proper and timely manner to the final Office action mailed April 15, 2009. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, this application became abandoned on July 16, 2009. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on November 24, 2009.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and fee of \$810.00 and the submission required by 37 CFR 1.114; (2) the petition fee of \$1,620.00; and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-7751.

This matter is being referred to Technology Center 3767 for processing of the Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 filed with the instant petition.

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